

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2589

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE SOMMER.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 89.050, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to notice of hearings.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 89.050, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 89.050, to read as follows:

89.050. The legislative body of such municipality shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such districts shall be determined, established, and enforced, and from time to time amended, supplemented, or changed. However, no such regulation, restriction, or boundary shall become effective until after a public hearing in relation thereto, at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard. At least [fifteen] **seven** days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall **either** be published in an official paper or a paper of general circulation in such municipality, **whether published in print or digital format, or posted in its entirety on an official website of the municipality for seven consecutive days prior to the date of such hearing. For any such notice published in a digital format of an official paper or a paper of general circulation in such municipality, the notice shall be published and accessible for viewing by the residents of that municipality for seven consecutive days prior to the date of such hearing. An "official website of the municipality" means any website owned or leased by a municipality for the purpose of disseminating general information to the residents of that municipality.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.